

The period for response has expired and plaintiff has failed to pay the filing fee in this cause or respond in any way to the Notice of Deficiency Order. No pleading or correspondence has been received from plaintiff in this cause since the filing of his complaint on March 31, 2010.

It is the conclusion of the United States District Judge that Plaintiff has abandoned his cause and such cause should be dismissed for failure to prosecute. *Link v. Wabash Railroad Co.*, 370 U.S. 626, 82 S.Ct. 1386, 8 L.Ed.2d 734 (1962) (court possesses inherent power to dismiss sua sponte for lack of prosecution). Further, plaintiff has failed to pay the filing fee.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The referral of the instant cause to the United States Magistrate Judge is hereby withdrawn.

This Civil Rights Complaint is DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE FOR FAILURE TO PROSECUTE and FOR FAILURE TO PAY THE FILING FEE.

LET JUDGMENT BE ENTERED ACCORDINGLY.

The Clerk will mail a copy of this Order to the plaintiff and to any attorney of record by first class mail.

It is SO ORDERED.

Signed this the 14<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2011.

  
MARY LOU ROBINSON  
United States District Judge